



Cherokee Nation K-12 Scholastic Open

Saturday, October 14, 2017



Sequoyah High School, 17091 S. Muskogee Ave., Tahlequah, OK 74464
 Type: K-12th grade, Swiss, school team sensitive, blitz playoff for 1st place ties, ½ point
 bye available for 1 un-played round (except last round).

Sections & Awards: (Players may only "play up" 100 points to a higher rated section)

Section	Description	Time	Rounds	Trophies	Medals
1	K-4 th grade, rating Under 500 (U500)	G/30 (30 min/player)	5	Top 2 Individuals	3.0 + points
2	K - 6 th , U700	G/30	5	Top 2 Individuals	3.0 + points
3	6 th - 12 th , U700	G/30	5	Top 2 Individuals	3.0 + points
4	K - 12 th , U900	G/30	5	Top 2 Individuals	3.0 + points
5	K - 12 th , U1100	G/30	5	Top 2 Individuals	3.0 + points
6	K - 12 th , Premier and OSCO grads to age 21, 1100+	G/45	4	Top 2 Individuals	2.5 + points K-12 only

Teams: Top four finishers from the same school in the same section combine for team score in Sections 1, 2, 3, and Sections 4 & 5 combined. A team consists of at least two players from the same school in the same section.

Team Awards: 1st & 2nd Place awards for Sections 1, 2, 3 and sections 4 & 5 combined; no team award for section 6.

Schedule: Registration from 9:00-9:45 am. **All players** must check in 15 minutes prior to play in Round 1. Round 1 begins 10:00 am for Sections 4, 5, & 6; begins 10:30 am for Sections 1, 2, 3.

Entry Fee: \$15.00 if mailed/postmarked by Monday, October 9th. Late registration is \$15 (cash preferred) at the door. Door registrations will receive a ½ point bye if not registered 30 minutes prior to their section's start time.

Mail Entries to: Sequoyah High School, Attn: Elvina Nez Thompson, P.O. Box 520, Tahlequah, OK 74465

Make Checks or Money Orders Payable to: Sequoyah High School (Please do not send cash through the mail.)

Rated Event: All sections will be rated using the Chess Express Rating Service. Premier section will also be USCF rated and include all players with USCF or Chess Express rating of 1400 or higher. **All chess ratings will be verified by the Tournament Director.**

Organizer: Elvina Nez Thompson, 918-457-7400 or elvina-nez@cherokee.org and the OSCO website is www.okschess.org.

-----SEQUOYAH K-12 SCHOLASTIC OPEN ENTRY FORM-----
 Section will be assigned by Tournament Director based on grade and rating. Changes may be requested at check in.

FULL NAME: _____ GRADE: _____

SCHOOL: _____ SCHOOL CITY: _____

1ST Round Request for ½ pt. Bye: YES _____ NO _____ EMAIL: _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT: _____ **PHONE NO.** _____

RELEASE FORM (REQUIRED FOR ALL ENTRANTS) All children and their property are the sole responsibility of the parent/guardian at all times at this tournament. In consideration of this tournament entry on this day of which I acknowledge, I release for the tournament entrant, myself, and all my successors and assigns, the Tournament Organizer and Tournament Site Owner (Sequoyah Schools) all of the officers and agents, successors and assigns, of the above mentioned second parties from all claims of personal injury or property damage related to this tournament.

Signed and agreed on this _____ day of _____ 2017.

 Printed Name of Parent/Legal Guardian

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